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SUBJ: ELECTION RETURNS: TURBAY MAINTAINS LEAD WITH
SLIGHT DROP (SITREP NO.4)

REF: (A) BOGOTA 5237, (B) DUNN-GRAHAM TELECON OF JUNE 6, '78

1. ACCORDING TO OFFICIAL BULLETIN NO. 5 OF 2 P.M. JUNE 6,
TURBAY'S LEAD DROPPED SLIGHTLY, TO 86,359 VOTES. THE MOST
RECENT FIGURES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

LIBERALS - 2,303,034
CONSERVATIVES - 2,216,675
OTHERS - 201,603
TOTAL - 4,721,312

2. THESE FIGURES REPRESENT 97 PERCENT OF THE VOTING
DISTRICTS (928 OF 952). THEY SHOW A DECREASE OF 1,817 VOTES
IN TURBAY'S LEAD, AND AN INCREASE IN THE TOTAL VOTE OF
161,486.

3. THE NATIONAL REGISTRAR, GERARDO AYERBE, ISSUED A
STATEMENT ON JUNE 6, REMINDING THE NATION THAT ONLY THE
ELECTORAL COURT CAN DECLARE AN OFFICIAL WINNER, AND
THAT THIS WILL NOT BE DONE UNTIL ALL VOTES ARE COUNTED.

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4. COMMENT: ALTHOUGH TURBAY IS THE APPARENT
VICTOR, CONGRATULATORY MESSAGES SHOULD NOT REPEAT NOT
BE SENT UNTIL THE ELECTORAL COURT HAS DECLARED AN
OFFICIAL WINNER, WHICH MAY BE SOMETIME NEXT WEEK. WE
WILL KEEP DEPARTMENT INFORMED.
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